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In re the Application of

Inventors: Takatoshi TANAKA, et al.

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For: VARIABLE GAIN CIRCUIT

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of  
Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Please amend the above application as follows: